

REMARKS

In accordance with the above amendments, numerous inconsistencies between the specification text and the reference characters in the drawings raised by the Examiner have been corrected. Some were resolved by correcting the text to make the figures and others by correcting the drawing figures to match the text. In accordance with that, certain replacement drawing sheets, each labeled "Replacement Sheet" in accordance with 37 CFR 1.721(d), are being submitted with this paper to resolve discrepancies in Figures 14B, 15A, 15B, 27J, 28B and 29. The remaining corrections were made in the form of amendments to the specification text. It is believed that all objections with regard to the drawings have been met and withdrawal of these objections is respectfully requested.

It is noted that the claims have been rejected under one or more paragraphs of 35 USC § 112.

Claims 1, 11, 15, 28-31 and 45-56 have been amended. Although the applicant is of the opinion that the previous claim language should have been allowable and was within the parameters of 35 USC § 112, amendments were made to clarify the claim language and antecedents even further and it is believed that all of the claims should now be in condition for allowance given the indicated allowability regarding the claims should the rejections under 35 USC § 112 be overcome. That indication is gratefully

acknowledged by the applicant.

In view of the above amendments, taken together with the remarks and drawing submissions made with this paper, reconsideration and allowance of all the claims is respectfully requested.

Should minor issues remain that can readily be resolved, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney in an effort to expedite prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the foregoing Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 in response to the non-final Official Action dated January 26, 2006, replacement drawings sheets and a transmittal letter for the application Serial No. 09/767,442 of inventor, Lester A. LaMotte, filed January 23, 2001, for "COLLAPSIBLE DISPLAY SYSTEM" are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, postage prepaid, on April 28, 2006.

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